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Assistant County Attorney

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE COUNTY MAYOR'S NOMINATION OF ERNEST D. STRICKLAND FOR APPOINTMENT AND BOBBI GILLIS FOR REAPPOINTMENT TO THE MEMPHIS AND SHELBY COUNTY CENTER CITY COMMISSION. SPONSORED BY COMMISSIONER JOE FORD.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to the rules and regulations governing the members of the Memphis and Shelby County Center City Commission, in written correspondence to the Chairman of the Shelby County Board of Commissioners dated January 12, 2009, the County Mayor nominated Ernest D. Strickland for appointment and Bobbi Gillis for reappointment to the board; and

WHEREAS, The ratification and approval by the Shelby County Board of Commissioners is required; and

WHEREAS, The members of the Memphis and Shelby County Center City Commission are appointed for a term of three (3) years upon approval by the Shelby County Board of Commissioners or until the appointment of their successors; and

WHEREAS, Ernest D. Strickland shall be appointed to fill the unexpired term of Darrel Cobbins who has resigned, and said term will expire on July 31, 2009.

WHEREAS, The term of service for Bobbi Gillis should be retroactive to December 31, 2008, expiring December 31, 2011, for a term of three (3) years.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SHELBY COUNTY, TENNESSEE, That the appointment of Ernest D. Strickland and Bobbi Gillis for reappointment to the Memphis and Shelby County Center City Commission for the term as listed above is with this Resolution confirmed by the Shelby County Board of Commissioners.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this Resolution shall take effect from and after the date it shall have been enacted according to due process of law, the public welfare requiring it.

A C Wharton, Jr., County Mayor

Date: _____

ATTEST:

Clerk, County Commission

ADOPTED _____